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Christine DUPUIS et al.) Group Art Unit: 1617
Application No.: 09/485,903)) Examiner: Lauren Q. Wells)
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For: COSMETIC COMPOSITION CONTAINING A POLYMER AQUEOUS DISPERSION AND A DISILANOL SILICONE EMULSION AND METHOD) Confirmation No.: 7762)))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicants bring to the attention of the Examiner the documents listed on the attached PTO Form 1449. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed with a Request for Continued Examination in the above-referenced application.

Copies of the listed documents are attached. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the listed documents and indicate that they were considered by making appropriate notations on the attached form.

English-language abstracts of the non-English documents are enclosed. With respect to Japanese Unexamined Patent Application, First Publication No. Hei 8-40820, US 5,587,170 is believed to be an English-language family member thereof.

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Respectfully submitted,

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10	Text of Opposition Proceedings in EP 1,005,323 B1, Application 98942750.5 (French-language with translation).			

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